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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
Robert Rudy et al.

Application No.: 10/034,889

Filed: December 28, 2001

For: Methods and Apparatus for Selecting an
Insurance Carrier for an Online Insurance Policy
Purchase

Confirmation No.: 1603

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Examiner: Willett, Stephan F.

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO APRIL 5, 2005 OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This amendment is being submitted in response to the Office action dated April 5, 2005. Applicants hereby request a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office action. This response is therefore timely filed within the extended period of response. This amendment is accompanied by a Petition for a One-Month Extension of Time and a check in the amount of \$120.00 for the requisite petition fee. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.